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LC's readers take the equanimity prize. For two days last week a frightened sparrow was at large in the Main Reading Room. While she flew around the room and hopped from one desk lamp to another, our readers turned not a hair, so intent were they on their research. Staff members on duty in the Reading Room made numerous attempts to catch her, but she managed to evade her captors every time. Fears were expressed that she would starve to death if she were not returned to the outside world.

Finally on Thursday, May 5, the visitor caught a claw in the folds of a curtain and a certain W. S., in the division known as S&R, picked her up in a piece of cheesecloth and took her outside, where he released her in the shrubbery. The staff in the Main Reading Room then returned to norman pursuits; the readers had never left them.

EXHIBIT HIGHLIGHTS HISTORY COLLECTIONS OF MUSIC DIVISION

"The Music Division: Highlights of 75 Years," an exhibit on the occasion of the Division's 75th anniversary, is on view for an indefinite period in the northwest corridor and the foyer of the Coolidge Auditorium, Ground Floor, Main Building.

The Music Division was established on July 1, 1897, as the Department of Music. From its initial holdings of under 200,000 items the Division's collections have grown to 4 million items, making the Division the most comprehensive music library in the world, both in quality and quantity.

The exhibit includes examples of holdings in various categories in which the Division particularly excels. Among composers' manuscripts, those of Schumann's "Spring" Symphony, Bach's Cantata No. 10, and Prokofiev's String Quartet, Op. 50, are representative of the holographs of the great masters in the collections, while Ethelbert Nevin's "The Rosary" marks the beginning of the systematic effort to acquire the manuscripts of American composers. Rare and early imprints are represented by Tinctoris' *Terminorum musicae diffinitorium* (ca. 1494), the first dictionary of music ever printed; the First Book of Masses, by Jean Mouton, printed by Ottaviano dei Petrucci, the pioneer music printer, in 1515; and 17th and 18th century opera librettos from the Albert Schatz Collection.

Other aspects of the Division's activities chronicled in the exhibit include those of the Recorded Sound Section, the Archive of Folk Song, concerts, and the commissioning of new chamber works. Portraits of the founders of foundations in the Music Division and past chiefs of the Division are part of the exhibit, along with photographs of the Division's quarters and staff in past years.

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NSDP STAFF HOUSED IN ANNEX

The offices of the National Serials Data Program are now established on the fifth floor of the Annex Building. Paul Vassallo, Director of the Program, is in Room 5121-A. Additional staff, including a secretary and senior systems analyst, who will be in Study Rooms 5121 and 5122, respectively, will be joining the program shortly. Mr. Vassallo and the NSDP staff can be reached on ext. 6451. [An announcement of Mr. Vassallo's appointment appeared in the LC *Information Bulletin,* March 24, p. 124.]

'GIVING IS AN EMOTIONAL KICK'

Red Cross Bloodmobile Program at LC

"Giving blood is the one thing many of us can do to help others," say Mrs. Dorothy Clark, Federal Research Division, who has donated more than 12 gallons during the past 20 years. "It gives donors an emotional kick."

Mary B. Licari, Subject Cataloging Division, who has given 11 gallons of blood, has received a commendation from the Civil Service Commission "for this most generous gift of life [and] of all the gifts that one can make, giving of oneself is the greatest."

Victor Warner, also of FRD, has participated in the Library's bloodmobile five times a year since 1950, donating a total of nine gallons.

Since 1952 library employees have been contributing about 500 pints of blood each year to the American Red Cross (ARC). The donated blood may be used for the National Institutes of Health Platelet Project for the treatment of leukemia, for a child hit by a car, for someone undergoing open heart surgery, or for other needy causes.

Most staff members meet the criteria for giving blood. Each potential donor is screened to be certain that giving blood will not in any way harm his health or the health of the recipient. Generally, a prospective donor is eligible if he or she is 18 through 65 years of age, weighs more than 110 pounds, and is in good physical condition. Employees under 21 years of age must present an ARC consent form signed by a parent.

The ARC bloodmobile visits the Library five times a year to fill an annual quota of 710 pints; during recent years, however, it has collected about 430 pints annually or only 65 percent of the goal. Because the Library's goal is not met, the ARC contacts the Library for emergency blood about once a week, according to Mrs. Barbara Khattab, Supervisor of Health Services in the Employee Relations Office.

Although the amount of blood contributed by staff members does not match ARC's expenses, the ARC must pay for the cost of testing, processing, storing, and transporting blood, not to mention the cost of beds, one doctor, four nurses, and the coordination of volunteer clerks. Because the expenses are not met by donations, there is some concern about Library employees losing the ARC group program and family coverage. The plan now entitles every LC employee, a wife or husband, and children under 18 to an unlimited amount of blood, at no charge for the blood itself when it is furnished by the ARC, even when the employee has not given or cannot give blood at the Library. Should the Library be dropped from participating in the National Blood Program, only donating staff members would be able to draw on the Red Cross Blood Bank for blood replacement for themselves and their families.

Employee recipients like Leon W. Seidner, Personnel Operations Officer, who received 14 units this past year, know the importance of life saving blood and no longer take it for granted. Mr. Seidner states "all that was necessary was to call the Supervisor of Health Services in LC to make arrangements for complete coverage."

LC donors may be granted a maximum of four hours excused absence, with supervisory approval, which covers travel time, time spent giving blood, and rest and recuperation immediately following. The four hours applies to employees who travel to the ARC Center, 2025 E St., N.W., to donate emergency blood and to employees donating at the Library.

The need for blood is urgent at all times. Any questions concerning eligibility or physical and medical history screening can be answered by telephoning Marjorie Brothers, Secretary of Health Services, on ext. 6053.

LC HOLDS FIRST OF FIVE SYMPOSIA ON THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAY 5-6

"The Development of a Revolutionary Mentality" was explored in a Library of Congress Symposium on the American Revolution Friday and Saturday, May 5 and 6. The first of five symposia made possible by a grant from The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation of Washington, the two-day meeting attracted about 500 historians, Government officials, and students to the Coolidge Auditorium and the Whittall Pavilion, where there was an overflow audience.

The first session on Friday morning got under way with a welcome from L. Quincy Mumford, Librarian of Congress. Richard B. Morris, Gouverneur Morris Professor of History at Columbia University and a member of LC's Advisory Committee on American Revolution Bicentennial Programs, as Chairman of the Symposium then introduced Henry Steele Commager, Professor of History Emeritus at Amherst College, who spoke on "The American Revolution and the Enlightenment."

Caroline Robbins, Professor of History Emeritus at Bryn Mawr College, opened the Friday afternoon session with a paper on "Revolutionaries and Republicans in the Old World Before 1776." J. H. Plumb of Christ's College, Cambridge University, commented on Miss Robbins' paper and the Chairman accepted additional comments from the floor. The afternoon session closed with "Corruption and Power in Provincial America," an address by Richard Bushman, Professor of History at Boston University, and a commentary by Edmund S. Morgan, Sterling Professor of History at Yale University and a member of LC's Advisory Committee.

In introducing the speakers at the Saturday session, Professor Morris pointed out that the liberated women of the American Revolution, Abigail Adams and Mercy Otis Warren, would have been pleased, not only at the progress made in the United States in achieving women's rights, but also at the presence of three women on the Library's symposium program. Pauline Maier, Assistant Professor of History at the University of Massachusetts, spoke first on "The Beginnings of American Republicanism, 1765-1776." Jack P. Greene, Professor of History at The Johns Hopkins University and also a member of LC's Advisory Committee, delivered the commentary, and he was followed by several comments from the floor. Mary Beth Norton, Assistant Professor of History at Cornell University, gave the second paper, "The Loyalist Critique of Republicanism," and Esmond Wright, former member of Parliament and Director, Institute for United States Studies at the University of London, commented.

The Library of Congress plans to publish later in 1972 the proceedings of the symposium, including the five papers and the four commentaries.

On Friday evening Mrs. Morris Cafritz joined Mr. and Mrs. Mumford in welcoming to a reception in the Great Hall the symposium participants, representatives of Washington's official and diplomatic communities, and other distinguished guests at the symposium.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS PUBLICATIONS

Accessions List: Eastern Africa. Vol. 5, No. 2. March 1972. (pp. 50-93.) Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, P.O. Box 30598, Nairobi, Kenya.

Accessions List: India. Vol. 11, No. 3. March 1972. (pp. 93-140.) Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, New Delhi, India.

Accessions List: Indonesia/Malaysia/Singapore and Brunei. Vol. 7, No. 2. February 1972. (pp. 27-55.) Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, APO San Francisco 96356.

Accessions List: Israel. Vol. 9, No. 3. March 1972. (pp. 36-60.) Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, Tel-Aviv, Israel.

Accessions List: Pakistan. Vol. 11, No. 3. March 1972. (pp. 18-25.) Continuing subscriptions free to

Mr. Greene

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Atlas

Mr. Morris

Mr. Plumb, Mrs. Maier, and Mrs. Elizabeth E. Hamer, Assistant Librarian of Congress

Mr. and Mrs. Bushman

Miss Norton and Mr. Mumford

James H. Hutson, Coordinator of LC's Bicentennial Office

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and Merrill Jensen, Library Advisory Board

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, and Robert Clarke and Leonard Rapport, both of the National Archives and Records Service

Mrs. Mumford and Mrs. Lee Wallace

Miss Robbins and Mr. Commager

The Librarian and Mrs. Cafritz

libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Consulate General, Karachi, Pakistan.

English Defenders of American Freedoms, 1774-1778. Compiled by Paul H. Smith, American Revolution Bicentennial Office, Library of Congress. 1972. (230 p.) For sale by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, at $2.75 a copy.

English Defenders is a collection of six rare and neglected pamphlets reprinted to broaden historical interest in the intellectual sources of American patriot resistance in the 1770's. For historians, the pamphlets provide insight into the breadth and quality of pro-American sentiment among prominent figures in England. American Revolutionary leaders exhibited uncommon interest in this body of political literature, as the pamphlets circulated widely and went through numerous American editions. The patriots drew inspiration from the authors of such tracts, whose publications confirmed that respected public figures in England believed in the Justice of the American cause and the arbitrariness of the policies of the King's ministers. Although the Americans made great use of the writings of their English defenders, few historians have seriously studied this body of literature or evaluated its impact in America.

English Defenders was compiled by Paul H. Smith of the Library's American Revolution Bicentennial Office, who has provided a general introduction to the volume, as well as brief surveys of the work of each author and annotations to the individual pamphlets. The fourth of the Library's publications for the Bicentennial of the American Revolution, it is part of the Library's program to publicize and make available primary materials pertinent to the study of the era. The texts of the pamphlets reprinted in this volume were taken from the original editions in the collections of the Library of Congress, with the exception of Catharine Macaulay's *Address*, taken from the text in the Library Company of Philadelphia.

Press Releases: No. 72-28 (May 1) Ten distinguished American and British historians take part in Library of Congress symposium on American Revolution May 5 and 6; No. 72-29 (May 4) Library of Congress announces publication of English tracts in defense of American freedom; No. 72-30 (May 5) Library of Congress Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped to hold Eighth Biennial Conference of Regional Librarians on May 15-17, 1972; No. 72-31 (May 4) Boston University historian discusses corruption and power in provincial America in Library of Congress meeting; No. 72-32 (May 4) Historian Caroline Robbins traces principles of American Revolution to European roots; No. 72-33 (May 4) Historian emplores beginnings of American republicanism in symposium on American Revolution at Library of Congress; No. 72-34 (May 5) Cornell historian presents new picture of loyalists to Library of Congress symposium on the American Revolution.

Library of Congress Regulations: No. 214-1 (page 3) and no. 214-6 (April 26) changed the name of the former Hispanic Foundation to the Latin American, Portuguese, and Spanish Division, Reference Department; no. 214-13 (May 1) redefined the organization and functions of the Prints and Photographs Division, Reference Department; no. 1813 (May 2) restated the Library's policy on the use and carrying of food and beverages in the Library Buildings.

Special Announcements: No. 474 (April 26) announced the 1972 Savings Bonds campaign; no. 475 (April 27) advised the staff members that the Senate Stationery Room would be closed for repairs; no. 476 (May 1) concerned the preparation of Library of Congress annual reports for fiscal year 1972; no. 477 (May 2) announced the observance of Memorial Day as a holiday on May 29.

STAFF NEWS

DEATH OF FORMER STAFF MEMBER

J. Edgar Hoover, who died May 2 at the age of 77, had been for so long with the Federal Bureau of Investigation of which he was the first and only director, that many people thought his entire career had been spent there or in the Department of Justice. His first job on leaving school, however, was in the Library of Congress. Beginning about 1912 and continuing while he earned in night classes a B.A. (1916) and an M.A. (1917) from George Washington University, he was employed as an assistant in the Classification Section of the Catalogue Division, one of the 15 divisions which, with the Copyright Office, then made up the Library.

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Paying homage to Mr. Hoover are (l-r) Lt. George D. Edelen, Capt. John W. Cormier, Pvt. Robert B. Broadus, and (partly hidden) Sgt. Sylvester C. Morton.

In 1917 Mr. Hoover transferred to the Department of Justice as a messenger in the files section and began his career in law enforcement. Members of the Library's Special Police Force were among the thousands of Government employees and citizens from all walks of life who paid their respect to his memory as his body lay in state in the Capitol Rotunda on Wednesday, May 3.

RETIREMENT

Mrs. Gladys James retired on April 7 after almost 30 years of service in the Library, all in the Buildings Services Section of the Building Management Office.

A long-time resident of Washington, D.C., Mrs. James attended the Germantown, Md., high school.

Mrs. James came to the Library in January 1943 as a Janitor and was promoted to a Stack Cleaner position in 1955, the position she held on her retirement. She worked in both the Annex and Main Buildings and received an "outstanding" rating in special commendation for her superior performance.

While employed with the Library, Mrs. James also worked at the U.S. Department of Agriculture cafeteria from 1943 to 1950.

Mrs. James was presented a purse by her friends and co-workers who will long remember her friendly and cheerful manner.

STAFF ACTIVITIES

John P. Balys of the Slavic and Central European Division delivered a paper entitled "Baltic Information Sources in the Library of Congress" at the Second Baltic Information Conference of North America. The conference was held April 15 and 16 at New Carrollton, Md., and was attended by some 200 Baltic scholars and guests.

On April 28, **Thomas C. Brackeen**, Coordinator of the Equal Opportunity Program, spoke to staff members of the MARC Editorial Office, about the evolution of the equal opportunity concept in the Library, the principal problem areas of equal opportunity, and the aims of the Equal Opportunity Program. Mr. Brackeen was introduced to the staff by Barbara Roland, Chief of the MARC Editorial Office. The meeting ended with a question and answer session.

Michael Katz, Administrative Officer of the Information Systems office, was interviewed by Bernie Harrison on WDCA-TV (Channel 20) on April 30 in connection with his production of "The Unsinkable Molly Brown," a musical comedy based on the fabled Mrs. J. J. Brown of Titanic fame. Mr. Katz directed the Cedar Knoll Dinner Theatre production, which ended last Sunday.

The Library has in its collections two archival photographs of Mrs. Brown which were taken when the Carpathia, the ship that rescued survivors of the Titanic disaster, arrived in New York.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

Appointments: Silas E. Bundy, clerk, GS-3, DBPH, 2622; Mrs. Donna W. Duffy, editorial assistant, GS-4, CRS E, 2721; James M. Kennedy, special policeman (private), Bldgs, 2596; Lee Alan Schmalbach, bibliographical and binding control assistant, GS-3, Bind, 2724.

Temporary Appointment: Gerald F. Joyner, deck attendant, GS-3, S&R, NP.

Reappointment: Mrs. Donna B. Burley, editorial assistant, GS-4, CRS E, 2721.

Promotions: Mrs. Jane G. Gravelle, to analyst in public finance, GS-11, CRS S, 2709; Clifton Johnson, ISO, to peripheral equipment operator, GS-6, Pers Opns, 2760; Jeffrey Lubin, to accounting clerk, GS-5, Cop Serv, 2614; Wayne A. McKenney, CRS L, to economic analyst, GS-7, CRS E, 2694; George Young Muse, to offset pressman, WP-13, CS, NP.

Resignations: Mrs. Carolyn R. Agnew, CRS L; Raymond R. Blake, S&R; Mrs. Susan G. McBride, Subj Cat; Toloria McPhatter, Card; Ronald L. Matthews, S&R; John W. Ott, CRS L; Thomas E. Ryan, CRS L.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Kathryn Ann Kontak and Leland J. Blair were married on Saturday, April 29, in the Arlington, Va., home of her parents. Mrs. Blair is a Loan Reference Specialist in the Loan Division and Mr. Blair is an attorney with Keller and Heckman law firm in Washington.

NEW REFERENCE WORKS

Three recent additions to the reference collections of the Science Reading Room are the *Catalog of the Library of the Marine Biological Laboratory and the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution,* Woods Hole, Mass. (Z881.L72 1971); the *Oceanographic Index–Author Cumulation 1946-1970* (Z6004.P6S43 1971); and the *Dictionary Catalog of the Princeton University Plasma Physics Laboratory Library,* Firestone Library, Princeton University, (Z7144.P5P73 1970). All three were published by G. K. Hall & Co. of Boston.

The *Catalog* of the Marine Biological Laboratory is in 12 volumes. Eleven volumes are devoted to an author catalog covering 12,000 books and monographs, 138 expeditions, and nearly 300,000 journal articles; volume 12 is a journal catalog listing over 4,000 periodical literature holdings. Because the complete works of many scientists are included, the catalog may be used as a bibliographic tool. The major subjects covered are biology, zoology, botany, physiology, microbiology, medicine, physics, chemistry, mathematics, geology, meteorology, geophysics, fisheries, and oceanography.

Supplementing the *Catalog* is the *Oceanographic Index,* compiled by Mary Sears, a senior scientist in the biology department, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution and the American editor for *Deep Sea Research* since its inception. The 58,600 cards in the author cumulation–many in Dr. Sears' own handwriting–have been reproduced in three volumes with approximately 29 cards per page. The *Index* is Dr. Sears' personal cumulative selection of articles on basic marine research and entries frequently include annotations on the character of the article, the comprehensiveness of its bibliography, and the nature of the work performed.

The *Dictionary Catalog* covers research literature accessioned for the Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory, which was established for the Project Matterhorn program in fusion research in 1952. The laboratory's work was declassified in 1958, and, in 1961, was expanded to include basic research in plasma physics, astrophysics, and space physics; studies in controlled fusion were also broadened. The laboratory's collection provides comprehensive coverage of the literature in these areas, principally in technical journals and reports, with a small fraction in book form. About 15,000 journal articles, reports, dissertations, and English translations of foreign articles have been fully cataloged with abstracts, although microfiche reports are minimally cataloged. The catalog's four volumes contain about 62,000 card images arranged alphabetically in dictionary form, so that each report may be located by author, issuing agency, report number, and subject, and each book or article by author and subject. Some 80 subject headings, such as cesium plasma, microwaves, stellarators, and wave scattering, are included. [*Catherine I. Bahn*]

Federal Librarians Association Will Be Discussed on May 25

Federal librarians, library technicians, information scientists, and others interested in the establishment of a Federal Librarians Association have been invited to participate in an open discussion of the subject.

On May 25, at 1 p.m., and again at 7:30 p.m., John Sherrod, Director of the National Agricultural Library and Chairman of the Federal Library Committee's Executive Advisory Committee will moderate programs devoted to an open consideration of the value of a Federal Librarians Association. Both meetings will be held in the Coolidge Auditorium at the Library of Congress.

Those wishing to make prepared statements should contact the Federal Library Committee Secretariat at 426-6055 to reserve time. Statements will be duplicated for distribution upon request.

IIA to Hold Forum on May 23

The Information Industry Association (IIA), in conjunction with the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), U.S. Department of Commerce, will hold a four-hour open forum from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, May 23, on the role of NTIS. The session will be chaired by James B. Adler, President of the Congressional Information Service of Washington, and will include a detailed presentation on NTIS by the Service's director, William T. Knox. The forum will be held at the Embassy Row Hotel.

For further information, interested persons should contact Paul G. Zurkowski, Executive Director of IIA, 1025 15th St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005, tel. (202) 659-3920. Advance registration for the meeting is $10 for IIA members and Government representatives and $25 for non-members.

NEWS IN THE LIBRARY WORLD

FLC Discusses Educational Opportunities

"Formal Course Opportunities for Professional Development" was the topic of the Federal Library Committee's FLC meeting on April 26. Margaret Chisholm, Dean of the School of Library and Information Services, University of Maryland, described the courses and workshops offered at the university. Kathleen Myerson of the Civil Service Commission reported on the development, in cooperation with the FLC Task Force on Automation, of the curriculum of the ADP Management Training Center at the Commission. Elizabeth W. Stone, Dean of the Department of Library Science, Catholic University, discussed opportunities for post-graduate work in library science at the university. FLC's studies on library education were instrumental in planning the curriculum.

The speakers emphasized the value of continuing education for librarians and information specialists and the interest of each school in responding to the educational needs of the Federal library community.

Margaret Edwards Receives Journal Award

Margaret Alexander Edwards is the recipient of the *Journal of Library History* annual award for the most outstanding article published during the year. Harold Goldstein, Editor of the *Journal,* who made the announcement, presented Mrs. Edwards with the $100 award in recognition of her article "I Once Did See Joe Wheeler Plain," which appeared in the October 1971 *Journal.*

Mrs. Edwards, formerly Coordinator of Young Adult Services at Enoch Pratt Free Library, has traveled extensively throughout the United States as a visiting teacher, workshop leader, and lecturer since her retirement. Through the years, she has contributed to numerous professional magazines and is the author of *The Fair Garden and the Swarm of Beasts: The Young Adult and the Library.*

Edward Korry Named President of AAP

Edward M. Korry, diplomat, journalist, and corporate executive, has been named President of the Association of American Publishers (AAP), effective this July. The announcement of Mr. Korry's appointment was made in Bermuda at the association's annual meeting by W. Bradford Wiley and Robert L. Bernstein, outgoing and incoming AAP board chairmen.

Mr. Korry, 50, a native of New York City, becomes chief operating officer and principal spokesman for the association, a voluntary confederation of more than 260 publishers of all types of books and other printed materials. He will have responsibility for the operations of the two association offices in New York and Washington, D.C.

Most recently a State Department consultant to the president of the Overseas Private Investment Corp., Mr. Korry was U.S. Ambassador to Chile from 1967 to 1971, and to Ethiopia from 1963 to 1967. He was affiliated with Cowles Communications, Inc., former publishers of *Look* magazine, from 1955 to 1962.

Mr. Korry will succeed Sanford Cobb, who has headed AAP both as Acting President and as President. The association came into existence in July 1970 as a result of the consolidation of the American Book Publishers Council, which had represented the publishers of trade books, and the American Educational Publishers Institute, which had represented textbook publishers.

Mansell Appoints U.S. Representative

Mansell Information/Publishing Ltd., the publishers of *The National Union Catalog, Pre-1956 Imprints,* has announced the appointment of Mrs. Catherine Clark as its U.S. library representative. Mrs. Clark will be concerned with demonstrating how *The National Union Catalog* and other Mansell titles can contribute to the solution of many library problems.

Head cataloger at the State University of New York at Stony Brook since 1968, Mrs. Clark received her master's degree in library science at the Graduate Library School of the Pratt Institute in 1964. She worked in the Suffolk Cooperative Library System before joining the staff of SUNY.

IIA Elects New Officers at National Meeting

Eugene Garfield was elected President of the Information Industry Association (IIA) at its recent fourth National Meeting. Dr. Garfield, President of the Institute for Scientific Information in Philadelphia, is the founder and publisher of *Cross Currents, Current Abstracts of Chemistry and Index Chemicus,* and *Science Citation Index.* He participated in the creation of IIA in 1968 and has served on its Board of Directors since that time, most recently as Vice President.

Four new directors were also elected to the IIA board for three-year terms. They are Earl Coleman, President and Chairman of Plenum Publishing Corp., and one of the founding members of IIA; Alice Curran, Vice President in the Washington office of the Encyclopaedia Britannica; Jerome D. Luntz, Vice

President of the Management Information Services Group, McGraw-Hill Publications Co.; and John C. Marken, Vice President and General Manager of Bell and Howell's Micro Photo Division.

FIAF to Publish Cinema Index

The International Federation of Film Archives (FIAF) is compiling an index in English to articles and reviews published this year. Sixty-one leading international film periodicals have been selected for indexing as serious contributions to the literature of the countries in which they are issued and as likely to contain material of lasting value from an historical, aesthetic, or critical point of view. The list includes *Sight and Sound, Iskusstvo Kino, Cahiers du Cinema,* and *Film Quarterly;* new publications are evaluated and added to the index if they meet the criteria.

The entries compiled by member archives in the countries where the periodicals are published are edited by the Danish Film Museum in Copenhagen and issued on index cards. Articles are indexed by original film titles, personalities, and subjects, and are fully annotated for content. Film reviews and book reviews are also indexed. Each entry provides author, title, name of publication, volume number, inclusive page numbers, and whether illustrated. The flexible format allows entries to be filed by film title, personality, subject, and book review or to be interfiled in one alphabetical sequence.

Cards are edited and mailed by air several times a week. In most cases the cards for overseas publications will be received in the United States before the periodicals themselves. It is estimated that there will be approximately 6,000 cards in 1972.

The indexing service was established for member archives in FIAF and a very limited number of subscriptions is being offered to others. Each subscription will include two publications, *Guidelines for Filing* and *List of Subject Headings;* the subscription price for all cards issued in 1972 is $325. Subscriptions may be sent to Karen Jones, Det Danske Filmmuseum, Store Sondervoldstraede, 1419 Copenhagen K, Denmark. Inquiries should be addressed to Brenda Davies, The National Film Archive, 81 Dean St., London W.1, England.

The R. R. Bowker Co. will publish the 1972 index in book form in the spring of 1973 and has plans to publish successive annual volumes.

Canadian Newsletter Published

The Research and Planning Branch of the National Library of Canada has begun publication of a newsletter, *Accessible,* to highlight developments of interest to the Canadian library community. The first issue announces that it will carry reports of studies and surveys made by the Branch's three divisions, Systems Development Division, Library Documentation Centre, and Resources Development Division, and information about computerized library systems developed in other countries, information which might not be available through normal channels or whose acquisition requires international governmental cooperation.

The newsletter's cover design is an unusual and successful representation of the merger of new technology with traditional library processes. *Accessible,* which will be published irregularly, may be obtained from Grover C. Burgis, Director of the Research and Planning Branch, National Library of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario.

Harvard Arts Institute Receives Grant

The National Endowment for the Arts has awarded the Harvard Summer School Institute in Arts Administration a grant of $9,760 to cover the full cost of eight fellowships to the Institute's Annual Management Development Program, to be held this year on July 2-28. Four of the fellowships are to be awarded to administrators in the field of the expansion arts and four to administrators at the State arts council level.

The Institute's Annual Management Development Program, now in its third year, is designed to improve individual skills in management and problem-solving for administering arts organizations and activities, and is taught primarily by Harvard Business School's case-analysis method. In addition to State arts councils and expansion arts programs, community arts centers and councils, orchestras and musical organizations, theaters, ballet and modern dance companies, museums, and university arts programs will be represented.

Further information on the program and applications for the fellowships are available from the Harvard Summer School Institute in Arts Administration, 1350 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge, Mass. 02138.